



DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

**Decision to Evaluate a Petition to Designate a Class of
Employees from Metals & Controls Corp. in Attleboro,
Massachusetts, to be included in the Special Exposure Cohort**

AGENCY: National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH), Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Department of Health and Human Services.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: NIOSH gives notice of a decision to evaluate a petition to designate a class of employees from Metals & Controls Corp. in Attleboro, Massachusetts, to be included in the Special Exposure Cohort under the Energy Employees Occupational Illness Compensation Program Act of 2000.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Authority: 42 C.F.R. 83.9-83.12.

Pursuant to 42 C.F.R. 83.12, the initial proposed definition for the class being evaluated, subject to revision as warranted by the evaluation, is as follows:

Facility: Metals & Controls Corp.

Location: Attleboro, Massachusetts.

Job Titles and/or Job Duties: All Facilities Construction & maintenance workers including Lubrication/Oilers, Industrial Pipefitters, Engineering Technicians (Mechanical, Electrical, Structural), Maintenance Supervisors, Electricians, Plumbers, Millwrights, Carpenters, Instrumentation Technicians, Chemical Handlers, Waste Treatment Operators, and Production Workers to include Machine Operators/Helpers, and Repair & Maintenance (commonly called R&M) workers.

Period of Employment: January 1, 1968 through March 21, 1997.

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